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For: CARD VERIFICATION SYSTEM AND CARD VERIFICATION METHOD

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 18, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as indicated below. An enclosed Appendix contains the amendments with markings to show changes made.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 13, first full paragraph:

Referring to the drawings, an embodiment of a card verification system of the present invention is composed of a card settlement system and a mobile phone system. As shown in Fig. 1, the card settlement system 1 is connected with the communication network 3. The mobile phone system 2 is connected with the communication network 3 through a server 4. The card

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